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NOTIFICATION OF REQUEST TO CHANGE SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Assignee of the above-identified application, NewSouth Innovations Pty Limited, an Australian corporation, through its undersigned counsel, desires to voluntarily withdraw its request for small entity status in this application.

Small entity status was asserted in the application transmittal letter as filed on June 2, 2006. The applicable government fees totaling \$450.00 were paid on a small entity basis on June 2, 2006. A government surcharge of \$65.00 was submitted on a small entity basis on February 15, 2007 in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371.

On information and belief, this application was and still is entitled to small entity status. However, undersigned counsel has been informed that the assignee of this application has adopted a practice of not claiming small entity status for its U.S. applications.

The following government fees have been paid and the additional fees identified below are being submitted:

Fees Paid as a Small Entity	Fees Paid	Additional Amounts Due
Basic national filing fee paid on June 2, 2006	\$150.00	\$150.00
Examination fee paid on June 2, 2006	100.00	100.00
Search fee paid on June 2, 2006	200.00	200.00
Government surcharge paid on February 15, 2007	65.00	65.00
Total amount paid Total amount owed	\$515.00	 \$515.00

Our check in the amount of \$515.00 to cover the balance of the government fees is enclosed.

Please charge any additional amounts or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 15-0508.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 3, 2007

Michael A. Hierl, Reg. No. 29,807

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper and its attachments are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 3, 2007.

Michael A. Hierl